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SUBJECT: Bremerton Storm Drain Sampling Progress Report

The purpose of this progress report is to describe the results of sediment sampling you, Gay and I conducted on June 22-23, 1992, from storm drains in Bremerton. Out of the 24 samples originally planned to be collected, we found suitable samples in seven drains and one outfall. Consequently, we agreed to examine these data from the sampled storm drains before we design the next stage of sampling to deal with those drains with high loads and those drainages for which we could not get a sample.

**INTRODUCTION**

Sinclair and Dyes Inlets, which border Bremerton, are considered urban bays and have been intensively studied to determine the distribution of contaminants. The current condition of these two inlets is reviewed as part of the Sinclair and Dyes Inlets Action Program (Tetra Tech, 1988). Several contaminants including mercury and PCBs have been found in high concentrations in sediments from both these bays. As a result of this review, the Sinclair and Dyes Inlets Urban Bay Action Plan (Jacobson and Booth, 1990) recommended collecting data on contaminant levels in sediments in storm drains. These data will be used to determine the types of contaminants found in storm drain systems that are discharging to Sinclair and Dyes Inlets, and to help rank drains for source tracing.

**Survey Objectives**

The primary objectives of this study are listed below:

- Determine if sediments in Bremerton storm drains that discharge to Sinclair and Dyes Inlets have high concentrations of contaminants.
- Find and rank storm drain systems with high levels of contaminants that will need to be traced to determine the source of contamination.

## **METHODS**

### **Strategy and Field Collection**

The primary strategy of this study was to examine sediments at the point where the storm drains discharge into Puget Sound. Storm lines were selected to represent commercial, residential and industrial uses. No storm drains inside or below the Puget Sound Naval Shipyard were studied. The outfalls were checked for deposition during low tide. Some outfalls had no deposition areas at the point of discharge due to the strong currents in Port Washington Narrows. Other outfalls were so far underwater that their exact location could not be found. In these cases, sediments were sampled in the storm drain pipes at the first accessible point upstream that accumulated sediments. With the help of the City of Bremerton Engineering Department and Street Department, we were able to examine pipes in vaults under 30 storm drain access holes. We did not sample individual catch basins, but rather sought to sample sediments from a system that drained a large area. Figure 1 shows locations of areas we checked and where we were able to sample. Detailed maps of sample locations are also shown in Appendix 1. We were able to collect sediments from seven storm drain systems and one outfall. Analysis included priority pollutant metals, volatile organics (VOAs), semivolatiles, total organic carbon, chlorinated pesticides/PCBs, and grain size distribution. Table 1 shows the analytical methods and laboratories used in this study.

Samples were collected on June 22-23, 1992, with either a stainless steel pivoting scoop attached to a pole or with a stainless steel Ponar grab sampler. Sampling personnel did not enter any manholes to collect samples. To reduce cross-contamination, sampling equipment was cleaned between stations with detergent, nitric acid, deionized water, and acetone. All samples were homogenized in stainless steel beakers, and subsamples poured into priority pollutant clean jars. VOAs were taken directly into VOA containers from the grab samples prior to homogenization.

### **Quality Assurance**

Quality assurance reports appear at the end of this report in Appendix 2. The data are useable with few qualifications. One problem to note is that the grain size was run with the ASTM method rather than the Puget Sound Protocol Method. Thus grain size categories are not completely comparable to other studies. Samples for grain size determination are being re-analyzed.

## **RESULTS AND DISCUSSION**

### **Conventionals**

Figure 2 depicts grain size characteristics of the samples taken. Although the divisions between categories is not standard (see QA section above), the results are usable to discern sand, silt, and clay. Recall that the finer the sediments, the more surface area is available

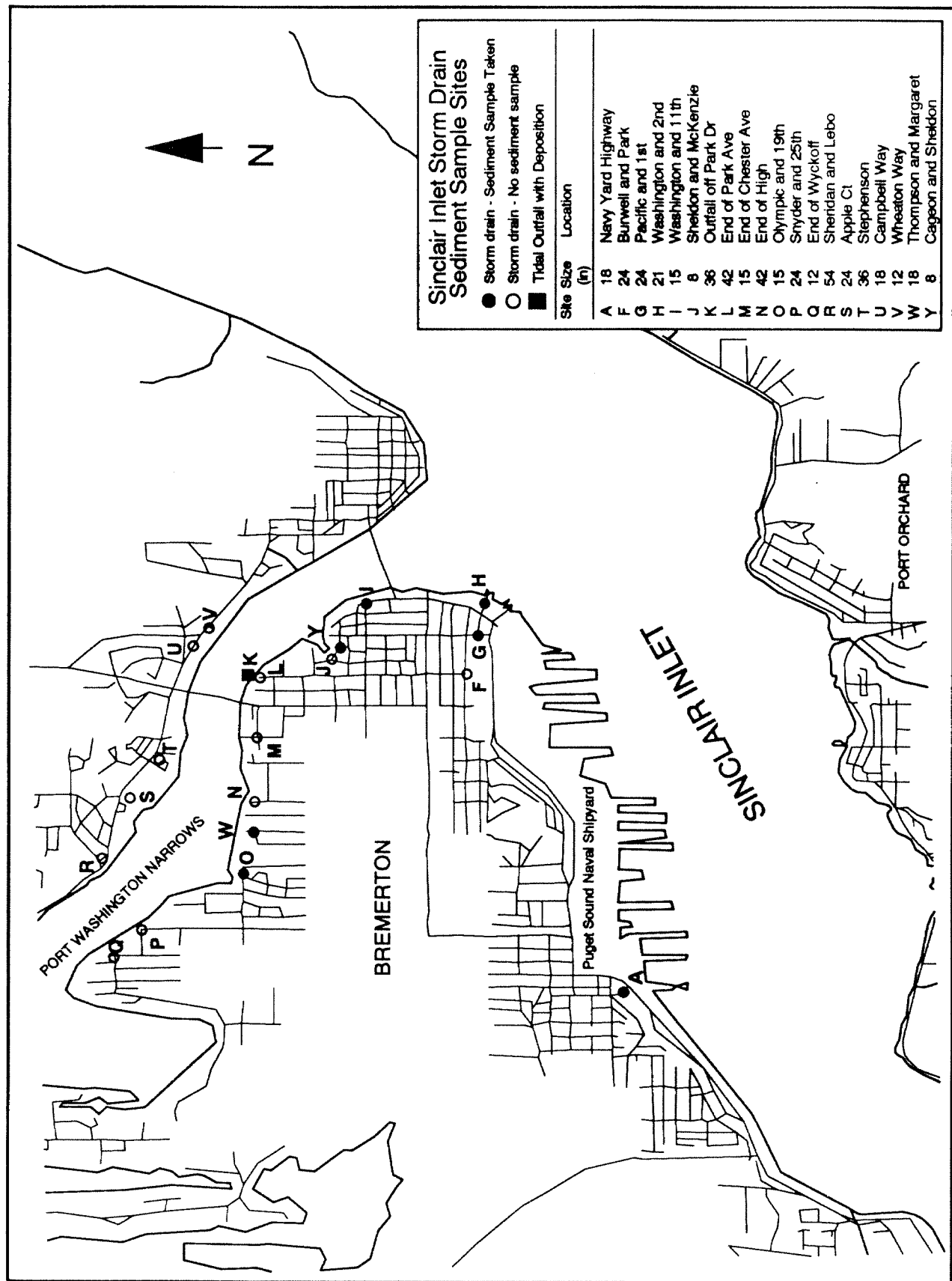


Figure 1. Sites where storm drains were examined and sampled in Bremerton.

Table 1. Analytical methods and laboratories used in Bremerton Storm Drain sediment investigation.

| Analysis             | Method                           | Reference                          | Laboratory                    |
|----------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Total organic carbon | Persulfate-UV                    | APHA 1985                          | Laucks Testing Labs           |
| Grain size           | Sieves and pipettes              | Holme and McIntyre 1971, EPA 1986a | Laucks Testing Labs           |
| % Moisture           | Dry @ 105 degrees C              | APHA 1985                          | Laucks Testing Labs           |
| Antimony             | Inductively Coupled Argon Plasma | EPA 1986b                          | Ecology/EPA (Manchester Lab.) |
| Arsenic              | Atomic Absorption                | EPA 1986b                          | Ecology/EPA (Manchester Lab.) |
| Beryllium            | Inductively Coupled Argon Plasma | EPA 1986b                          | Ecology/EPA (Manchester Lab.) |
| Cadmium              | Inductively Coupled Argon Plasma | EPA 1986b                          | Ecology/EPA (Manchester Lab.) |
| Chromium             | Inductively Coupled Argon Plasma | EPA 1986b                          | Ecology/EPA (Manchester Lab.) |
| Copper               | Inductively Coupled Argon Plasma | EPA 1986b                          | Ecology/EPA (Manchester Lab.) |
| Mercury              | Cold Vapor Atomic Absorption     | EPA 1986b                          | Ecology/EPA (Manchester Lab.) |
| Lead                 | Inductively Coupled Argon Plasma | EPA 1986b                          | Ecology/EPA (Manchester Lab.) |
| Nickel               | Inductively Coupled Argon Plasma | EPA 1986b                          | Ecology/EPA (Manchester Lab.) |
| Selenium             | Atomic Absorption                | EPA 1986b                          | Ecology/EPA (Manchester Lab.) |
| Silver               | Inductively Coupled Argon Plasma | EPA 1986b                          | Ecology/EPA (Manchester Lab.) |
| Thallium             | Atomic Absorption                | EPA 1986b                          | Ecology/EPA (Manchester Lab.) |
| Zinc                 | Inductively Coupled Argon Plasma | EPA 1986b                          | Ecology/EPA (Manchester Lab.) |
| Semivolatiles        | GC/MS Method 8270                | EPA 1986b                          | Laucks Testing Labs           |
| Pest/PCB             | GC/EC Method 8080                | EPA 1986b                          | Laucks Testing Labs           |
| VOAs                 | GC/MS Method 8240                | EPA 1986b                          | Laucks Testing Labs           |

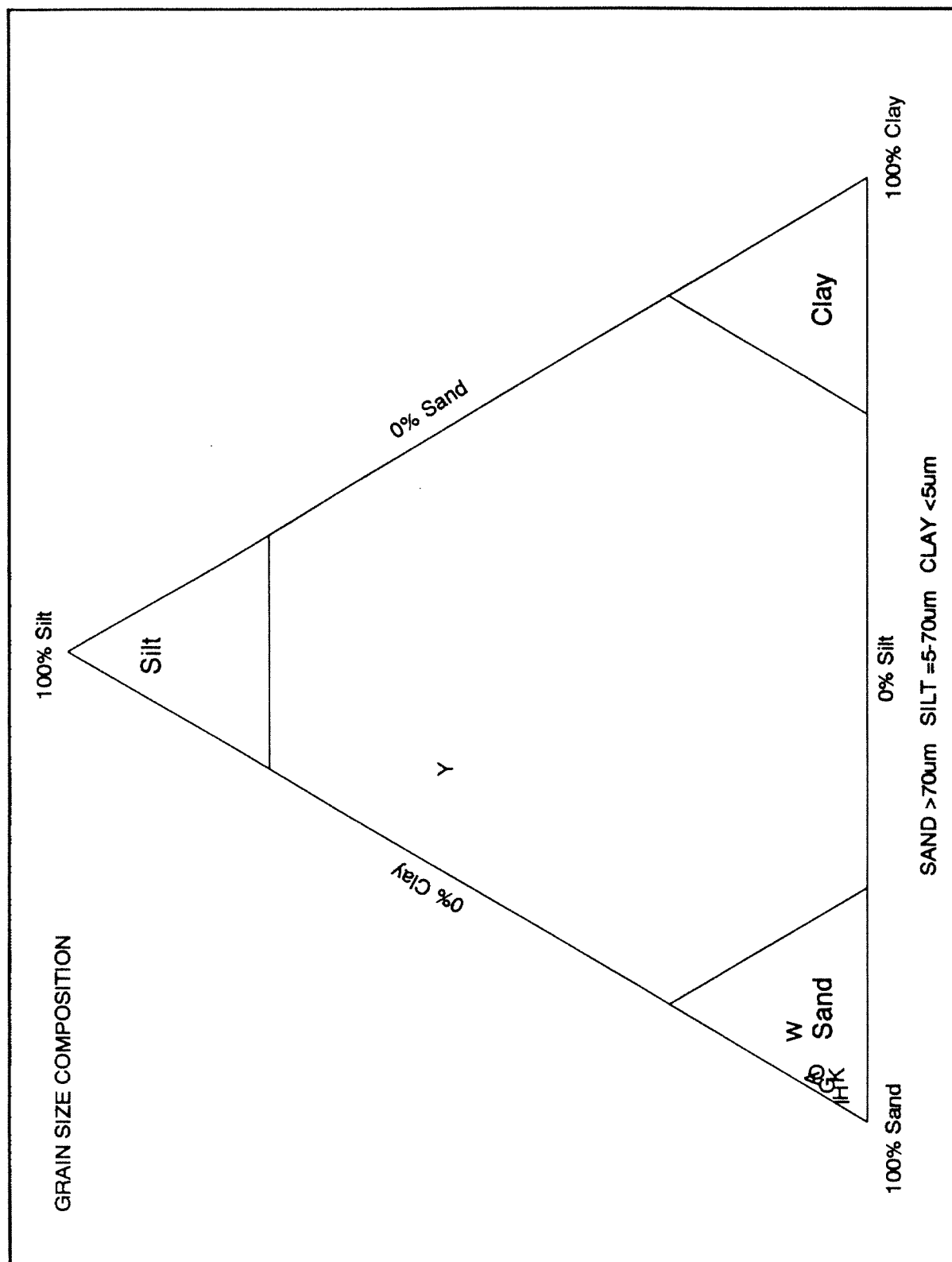


Figure 2. Grain size characteristics of sediments collected in this study. Letters refer to sites.

for contaminants to sorb, thus finer sediments usually have higher contaminant levels. The sediments are quite sandy with the exception of site Y. The presence of coarser grain sediments is consistent with the faster flows associated with steep storm drains systems like those found in eastern Bremerton. TOC concentrations are discussed later.

## **Metals**

Table 2 reviews metals found in the sediments. Of some note are the high concentrations of lead. This is consistent with other studies of urban street dust and most likely has its source in leaded fuel. Zinc is also high and may come from tires. Because these sediments are so sandy, I would expect low concentrations of metals (see Conventional above). Sites Y and G were high in most metals. Site Y, by the refuse company, was the siltiest sample we took. Site G is in downtown Bremerton and collects runoff from city traffic. Site I also had high concentrations of lead.

No convention exists to normalize metals concentrations for differences in grain size. In other studies I have found strong positive correlations between metals concentrations and percent clay. Figure 3 depicts this relationship for Lake Union, an area that collects urban storm drain discharge, and Bremerton storm drain data. After correction for low percent clay, sites I and G are comparatively high in lead. For measures of lead and zinc, all other sites are consistent with the Lake Union relationship. Thus, though sites I and G are not surprisingly high in lead concentrations, their levels are relatively high when the effects of grain size are considered.

## **Volatiles**

Table 3 reports volatiles found in Bremerton storm drain sediments. Acetone was used to clean tools and thus the levels of acetone reported probably do not reflect concentrations in the environment. The 2-Butanone concentrations may also represent contamination in the analysis. The high concentrations of toluene, ethylbenzene and xylene at site Y indicates some petrochemical input into the system. This may be related to a putative underground storage tank in the area. These chemicals are the major constituents of gasoline. The potential source of the chlorobenzene at site G is unknown. Site W shows some signs of potential gasoline contamination as well. Detection limits for volatile organics that were NOT found in this study are in the Appendix 3.

## **Semi-Volatile Organics**

Table 4 shows the levels of semivolatiles found in sediments. The primary class of chemicals found were PAH (polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons) and they were detected at all sites. Sites W, H and Y had high concentrations. PAH usually derive from incomplete combustion, but can be associated with oil products as well. Additional heavier chlorobenzenes were found in site G. Pentachlorophenol was found at site Y. The rest of the chemicals found in this scan were primarily phthalates esters (di-n-butyl, butylbenzyl,

Table 2. Metals in sediments from Bremerton storm drains. All values mg/kg dry weight.

| Station<br>sample No. | O        | W        | I        | H        | K        | Y        | G        | A        |
|-----------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
|                       | 8280     | 8281     | 8282     | 8283     | 8284     | 8285     | 8287     | 8290     |
| Antimony              | 15 UN    | 15 N     | 15 UN    | 15 UN    | 15 UN    | 15 UN    | 15 UN    | 15 UN    |
| Arsenic               | 2.7      | 3.6      | 6.9      | 3.7      | 2.0      | 8.4      | 8.4      | 2.5      |
| Beryllium             | 0.5 U    | 0.5 U    | 0.5 U    | 0.5 U    | 0.5 U    | 0.5 U    | 0.5 U    | 0.5 U    |
| Cadmium               | 1 U      | 1 U      | 1 U      | 1 U      | 1 U      | 3.8 P    | 1.5 P    | 1 P      |
| Chromium              | 21       | 21       | 23       | 19       | 20       | 59       | 24       | 20       |
| Copper                | 41       | 84       | 32       | 44       | 28       | 150      | 84       | 40       |
| Lead                  | 114      | 27 P     | 339      | 94       | 52       | 390      | 405      | 84       |
| Mercury               | 0.052    | 0.041    | 0.019    | 0.034    | 0.12     | 0.45     | 0.59     | 0.057    |
| Nickel                | 32 P     | 28 P     | 31 P     | 30 P     | 25 P     | 57       | 41       | 25 P     |
| Selenium              | 0.32 P   | 0.2 U    | 0.2 U    | 0.2 U    | 0.2 U    | 0.2 U    | 0.2 U    | 0.2 U    |
| Silver                | 1.5 U    | 1.5 U    | 1.5 U    | 1.5 U    | 1.5 U    | 1.5 U    | 1.5 U    | 1.5 U    |
| Thallium              | 0.25 UNJ | 0.25 UNJ | 0.25 UNJ | 0.25 UNJ | 0.25 UNJ | 0.25 UNJ | 0.25 UNJ | 0.25 UNJ |
| Zinc                  | 165      | 203      | 170      | 230      | 115      | 560      | 377      | 130      |

Shade = Found above detection limit.

Qualifiers

P = Metal found above detection limit but below quantification limit.

U = Detection limit

J = Estimate

N = Presumptive evidence material is present in sample.

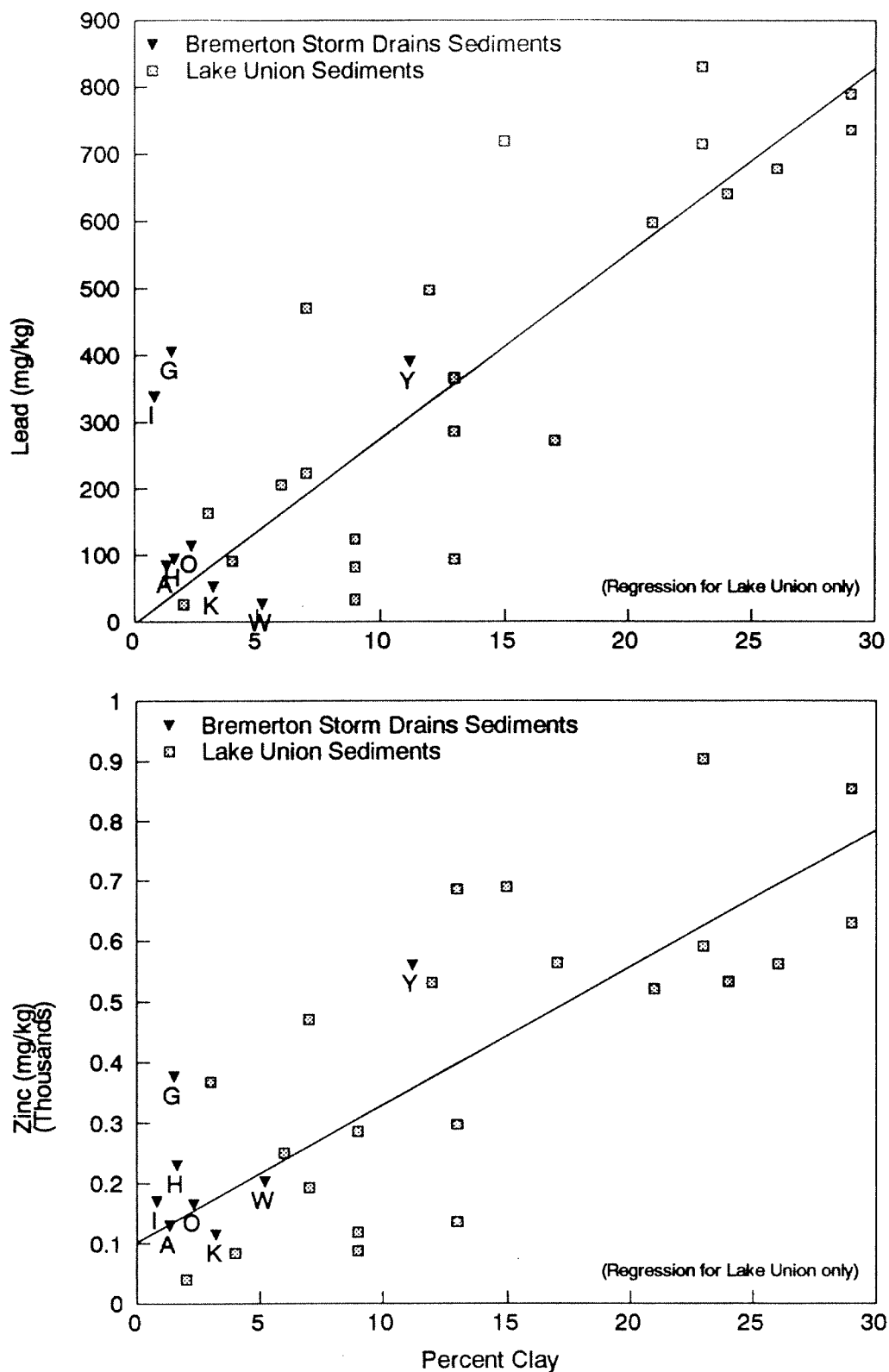


Figure 3. Relationship of percent clay to metals concentrations. Note sites I and G have comparably high levels of lead for their low percent clay based on Lake Union data.



Table 3. Volatiles found in sediments from Bremerton storm drains ( $\mu\text{g/kg}$  dry weight).

| Station            | O    | W     | I    | H    | K    | Y     | G    | A    |
|--------------------|------|-------|------|------|------|-------|------|------|
| Sample No.         | 8280 | 8281  | 8282 | 8283 | 8284 | 8286  | 8287 | 8290 |
| Methylene Chloride | 5 UJ | 16 UJ | 6 UJ | 2 UJ | 6 UJ | 43 UJ | 5 UJ | 6 UJ |
| Acetone            | 14 U | 120   | 3 UJ | 88   | 260  | 290   | 99   | 81   |
| 2-Butanone         | 4 J  | 38    | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 24 J  | 14 U | 2 J  |
| Benzene            | 14 U | 5 J   | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |
| Toluene            | 100  | 18 J  | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 2500  | 4 J  | 13 U |
| Chlorobenzene      | 14 U | 27 U  | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 100  | 13 U |
| Ethylbenzene       | 14 U | 5 J   | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 47 J  | 14 U | 13 U |
| Styrene            | 14 U | 52    | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |
| Xylene             | 14 U | 13 J  | 1 J  | 13 U | 14 U | 145 J | 6    | 13 U |

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Qualifiers

U = Detection limit

J = Estimate

Table 4. Semi-volatiles found in sediments from Bremerton storm drains ( $\mu\text{g/kg}$  dry weight).

| Station<br>Sample No.      | O<br>8280 | W<br>8281 | I<br>8282 | H<br>8283 | K<br>8284 | Y<br>285-86 | G<br>8287 | A<br>8290 |
|----------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-----------|
| 1,4-Dichlorobenzene        | 2300 U    | 4500 U    | 410 U     | 2200 U    | 900 U     | 1700 U      | 45 J      | 2100 U    |
| 1,2-Dichlorobenzene        | 2300 U    | 4500 U    | 410 U     | 2200 U    | 900 U     | 1700 U      | 29 J      | 2100 U    |
| 2-Methylphenol             | 3100      | 510 J     | 410 U     | 2200 U    | 900 U     | 1700 U      | 900 U     | 2100 U    |
| 4-Methylphenol             | 2300 U    | 4500 U    | 410 U     | 2200 U    | 900 U     | 470 J       | 900 U     | 2100 U    |
| Dimethylphthalate          | 2300 U    | 140000    | 460       | 2200 U    | 900 U     | 53 J        | 900 U     | 2100 U    |
| Dibenzofuran               | 2300 U    | 290 J     | 410 U     | 79 J      | 10 J      | 1700 U      | 73 J      | 2100 U    |
| N-Nitrosodiphenylamine     | 2300 U    | 4500 U    | 410 U     | 2200 U    | 21 J      | 1700 U      | 900 U     | 2100 U    |
| Pentachlorophenol          | 5500 U    | 11000 U   | 990 U     | 5300 U    | 2200 U    | 540 J       | 2200 U    | 5100 U    |
| Carbazole                  | 2300 U    | 1300 J    | 410 U     | 780 J     | 37 J      | 360 J       | 100 J     | 2100 U    |
| Di-n-butylphthalate        | 66 UJ     | 320 UJ    | 35 UJ     | 44 UJ     | 59 UJ     | 870 J       | 58 UJ     | 74 UJ     |
| Butylbenzylphthalate       | 490 J     | 63000     | 130 J     | 81 J      | 40 J      | 1700 U      | 360 J     | 490 J     |
| bis(2-Ethylhexyl)phthalate | 7300      | 3300      | 940       | 1200 J    | 560 J     | 16000       | 4600      | 1500 J    |
| Di-n-octylphthalate        | 2300 U    | 900 J     | 110 J     | 2200 U    | 900 U     | 1100 J      | 260 J     | 140 J     |
|                            |           |           |           | 170       | 41 U      | 41 U        | 70        | 12 J      |
| PAH                        |           |           |           |           |           |             |           |           |
| Napthalene                 | 2300 U    | 200 J     | 12 J      | 2200 U    | 900 U     | 260 J       | 54 J      | 2100 U    |
| 2-Methylnapthalene         | 32 J      | 400 J     | 10 J      | 2200 U    | 900 U     | 640 J       | 45 J      | 2100 U    |
| Acenaphthylene             | 2300 U    | 4500 U    | 410 U     | 61 J      | 12 J      | 1700 U      | 230 J     | 2100 U    |
| Acenaphthene               | 2300 U    | 470 J     | 410 U     | 110 J     | 17 J      | 1700 U      | 100 J     | 2100 U    |
| Fluorene                   | 2300 U    | 630 J     | 12 J      | 160 J     | 26 J      | 430 J       | 160 J     | 2100 U    |
| Phenanthrene               | 78 J      | 7200      | 120 J     | 4000      | 310 J     | 2100 J      | 1200      | 180 J     |
| Anthracene                 | 2300 U    | 570 J     | 410 U     | 500 J     | 62 J      | 1700 J      | 140 J     | 2100 U    |
| SUM LPAH                   | 110 J     | 9500 J    | 150 J     | 4800 J    | 430 J     | 5100 J      | 1900 J    | 180 J     |
| Fluoranthene               | 94 J      | 9800      | 120 J     | 8100      | 460 J     | 2600 J      | 1200      | 150 J     |
| Pyrene                     | 150 J     | 7600      | 150 J     | 5800      | 500 J     | 2800 J      | 1500      | 180 J     |
| Benzo(a)anthracene         | 2300 U    | 3500 J    | 46 J      | 2700      | 220 J     | 940 J       | 580 J     | 97 J      |
| Chrysene                   | 160 J     | 3700 J    | 66 J      | 3400      | 260 J     | 1300 J      | 520 J     | 130 J     |
| Benzo fluoranthenes        | 470 J     | 6500      | 410 U     | 7700      | 400 J     | 2100 J      | 930 J     | 2100 U    |
| Benzo(a)pyrene             | 2300 U    | 3100 J    | 47 J      | 3700      | 230 J     | 890 J       | 520 J     | 2100 U    |
| Ideno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene      | 2300 U    | 1500 J    | 410 U     | 2400      | 150 J     | 330 J       | 390 J     | 2100 U    |
| Dibenz(a,h)anthracene      | 2300 U    | 800 J     | 410 U     | 650 J     | 64 J      | 1700 U      | 130 J     | 2100 U    |
| Benzo(g,h,i)perylene       | 2300 U    | 1200 J    | 410 U     | 1500 J    | 120 J     | 310 J       | 400 J     | 2100 U    |
| SUM HPAH                   | 870 J     | 38000 J   | 430 J     | 36000 J   | 2400 J    | 11000 J     | 6200 J    | 560 J     |
| SUM PAH (Dry wt. basis)    | 980 J     | 47000 J   | 580 J     | 41000 J   | 2800 J    | 16000 J     | 8100 J    | 740 J     |

Shade = found above detection limits.

Qualifiers

U=Not found at detection limit shown.

J=Estimated due to low signal to noise ratio.

bis(2-ethylhexyl), and di-n-octyl). These compounds appear often in the environment as byproducts of plastics manufacturing and handling. Site W had high concentrations of the butylbenzyl phthalate ester. Those sites with the lowest overall concentrations of organic chemicals were site I and site A. Detection limits for semi-volatile organics that were NOT found in this study are in the Appendix 3.

### **Pesticides and PCBs**

Table 5 shows concentrations of pesticides and PCBs at the sites. Most chlorinated pesticide concentrations are low, but the wide variety of different compounds found is somewhat of a surprise. Site O had the most pesticides followed by site Y. Pesticides found included DDT and its metabolites, BHC, dieldrin, aldrin, and chlordane. Sites H, G and A all had Aroclor 1254, a PCB. Detection limits for pesticides and PCBs NOT found in this study are shown in the Appendix 3.

### **Comparison to Standards**

The Department of Ecology has issued standards for some contaminants in sediments in an attempt to protect biota from harm by contaminants. Metals standards are based on dry weight concentrations. Most organics are corrected by the total organic carbon in the sediments to become milligrams of compound per kilogram of organic carbon. Because all sediments in storm drains will eventually be discharged into Puget Sound, the sediment examined in this study were compared to the marine sediment standards and are shown in Table 6. For metals, site Y exceeded mercury and zinc standards. Site G, near downtown, exceeded only mercury. These two sites approached the limit of lead. Phenols were exceeded at three sites with site Y exceeding pentachlorophenol standards. All sites exceeded at least one phthalate standard. Site H exceeded the PCBs standard. Sites W and H exceeded several PAH standards.

### **SUMMARY**

Most of the storm drains investigated did not have deposition of sediment. Sediments found were primarily sandy. Different areas had different contaminants. Table 7 reviews contaminants found at different sites. All sites had phthalates and PAH and several metals. All sites exceeded at least one marine sediment criteria. Five out of eight sites had chemicals other than phthalates that exceeded standards and thus exceed the levels where there are presumed to be no adverse biological effects if discharged into Puget Sound.

Table 5. Pesticides found in sediments from Bremerton storm drains ( $\mu\text{g/kg}$  dry weight).

|                     | Station  |       | W      | I     | H     | K     | Y       | G     | A     |
|---------------------|----------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|---------|-------|-------|
|                     | Sample # | 8280  | 8281   | 8282  | 8283  | 8284  | 8285-86 | 8287  | 8290  |
| alpha-BHC           |          | 2.3 U | 4.6 U  | 2.1 U | 2.1 U | 2.1 U | 1.4 J   | 2.2 U | 2.3 U |
| gamma-BHC (Lindane) |          | 2.3 U | 12.0 P | 2.1 U | 2.1 U | 2.1 U | 2.1 U   | 2.2 U | 2.3 U |
| Heptachlor          |          | 1.1 J | 3.4 JP | 2.1 U | 2.1 U | 2.1 U | 2.1 U   | 2.2 U | 2.3 U |
| Aldrin              |          | 1.2 J | 1.8 JP | 2.1 U | 2.1 U | 2.1 U | 2.1 U   | 1.8 J | 2.3 U |
| Heptachlor Epoxide  |          | 2.3 U | 4.6 U  | 2.1 U | 2.1 U | 2.1 U | 0.86 J  | 2.2 U | 2.3 U |
| Dieldrin            |          | 31    | 8.9 U  | 4.1 U | 4.1 U | 4.1 U | 3.5 J   | 4.3 U | 4.5 U |
| 4,4'-DDE            |          | 2.0 J | 8.9 U  | 4.1 U | 4.1 U | 4.1 U | 4.8 P   | 4.3 U | 4.5 U |
| Endrin              |          | 4.5 U | 8.9 U  | 4.1 U | 4.1 U | 4.1 U | 7.3 P   | 4.3 J | 4.5 U |
| Endosulfan II       |          | 4.5 U | 8.9 U  | 4.1 U | 9.5   | 4.1 U | 4.1 U   | 4.3 U | 4.5 U |
| 4,4'-DDD            |          | 2.6 J | 8.9 U  | 4.1 U | 4.1 U | 4.1 U | 12 P    | 4.3 U | 4.5 U |
| 4,4'-DDT            |          | 8.4   | 8.9 U  | 4.1 U | 4.1 U | 4.1 U | 11      | 4.3 U | 3.4 J |
| Methoxychlor        |          | 18 J  | 46 U   | 21 U  | 21 U  | 21 U  | 21 U    | 22 U  | 23 U  |
| Endrin ketone       |          | 5.7 J | 5.7 J  | 4.1 U | 4.1 U | 4.1 U | 2.9 J   | 4.3 U | 2.3 J |
| alpha-Chlordane     |          | 2.3 U | 4.6 U  | 2.1 U | 2.1 U | 2.1 U | 7.6 P   | 2.1 J | 2.3 U |
| gamma-Chlordane     |          | 2.3 U | 4.6 U  | 2.1 U | 2.1 U | 1.0 U | 4.2 P   | 1.5 J | 1.1 J |
| Aroclor-1254        |          | 45 U  | 89 U   | 41 U  | 170   | 41 U  | 41 U    | 70    | 12 J  |

Shading = Compound found above detection limit.

Qualifiers

U = No compound found at detection limit shown.

J = Value is estimate.

P = Value is above detection limit but below quantification limit.

Table 6. Comparison of concentrations found to Marine Sediment Quality Standards\*.

| Marine Sediment                       |          | Study Site |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|---------------------------------------|----------|------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
|                                       | Standard | O          | W      | I      | H      | K      | Y      | G      | A      |
| Metals on dry weight basis (mg/kg)    |          |            |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Arsenic                               | 57       | 2.7        | 3.6    | 6.9    | 3.7    | 2.0    | 8.4    | 8.4    | 2.5    |
| Cadmium                               | 5.1      | 1 U        | 1 U    | 1 U    | 1 U    | 1 U    | 3.8 J  | 1.5 J  | 1 J    |
| Chromium                              | 260      | 21         | 21     | 23     | 19     | 20     | 59     | 24     | 20     |
| Copper                                | 390      | 41         | 84     | 32     | 44     | 28     | 150    | 84     | 40     |
| Lead                                  | 450      | 114        | 27 J   | 339    | 94     | 52     | 390    | 405    | 84     |
| Mercury                               | 0.41     | 0.052      | 0.041  | 0.019  | 0.034  | 0.12   | 0.45   | 0.59   | 0.057  |
| Nickel                                | 32       | 32 J       | 28 J   | 31 J   | 30 J   | 25 J   | 57     | 41     | 25 J   |
| Zinc                                  | 410      | 165        | 203    | 170    | 230    | 115    | 560    | 377    | 130    |
| Phenols on dry weight basis (µg/kg)   |          |            |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| 2-Methylphenol                        | 63       | 3100       | 510 J  |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| 4-Methylphenol                        | 670      |            |        |        |        |        | 470 J  |        |        |
| Pentachlorophenol                     | 360      |            |        |        |        |        | 540 J  |        |        |
| TOC                                   |          | 3.1%       | 3.5%   | 0.9%   | 1.0%   | 1.1%   | 8.6%   | 3.2%   | 1.4%   |
| Total Organic Carbon basis (mg/kg OC) |          |            |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| 1,4-Dichlorobenzene                   | 3.1      |            |        |        |        |        |        | 1.4 J  |        |
| 1,2-Dichlorobenzene                   | 2.3      |            |        |        |        |        |        | 0.9 J  |        |
| Dimethylphthalate                     | 53       |            |        |        |        |        | 0.62 J |        |        |
| Dibenzofuran                          | 15       |            | 8.3 J  |        | 7.9 J  | 0.91 J |        | 2.3 J  |        |
| N-Nitrosodiphenylamine (1             | 11       |            |        |        |        | 1.9 J  |        |        |        |
| Carbazole                             |          |            | 37 J   |        | 78 J   | 3.4 J  | 4.2 J  | 3 J    |        |
| Di-n-butylphthalate                   | 220      | 2.0 UJ     | 9.1 UJ | 3.9 UJ | 4.4 UJ | 5.4 UJ | 10 J   | 1.8 UJ | 5.3 UJ |
| Butylbenzylphthalate                  | 4.9      | 16 J       | 1800   | 14 J   | 8 J    | 3.6 J  |        | 11 J   | 35 J   |
| bis(2-Ethylhexyl)phthalate            | 47       | 240        | 94     | 100    | 120 J  | 51 J   | 190    | 140    | 110 J  |
| Di-n-octylphthalate                   | 58       |            | 26 J   | 12 J   |        |        | 13 J   | 8 J    | 10 J   |
| Total PCBs                            | 12       |            |        |        | 17     |        |        | 2      | 1 J    |
| PAH                                   |          |            |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Napthalene                            | 99       |            | 5.7 J  | 1.3 J  |        |        | 3.0 J  | 1.7 J  |        |
| 2-Methylnapthalene                    | 38       | 1.0 J      | 11 J   | 1.1 J  |        |        | 7.4 J  | 1.4 J  |        |
| Acenaphthylene                        | 66       |            |        |        | 6 J    | 1.1 J  |        | 7.2 J  |        |
| Acenaphthene                          | 16       |            | 13 J   |        | 11 J   | 1.5 J  |        | 3.1 J  |        |
| Fluorene                              | 23       |            | 18 J   | 1.3 J  | 16 J   | 2.4 J  | 5.0 J  | 5.0 J  |        |
| Phenanthrene                          | 100      | 2.5 J      | 210    | 13 J   | 400    | 28 J   | 24 J   | 38     | 13 J   |
| Anthracene                            | 220      |            | 16 J   |        | 50 J   | 5.6 J  | 20 J   | 4.4 J  |        |
| Total LPAH                            | 370      | 3.5 J      | 270 J  | 17 J   | 480 J  | 39 J   | 59 J   | 61 J   | 13 J   |
| Fluoranthene                          | 160      | 3.0 J      | 280    | 13 J   | 810    | 42 J   | 30 J   | 38     | 11 J   |
| Pyrene                                | 1000     | 4.8 J      | 220    | 17 J   | 580    | 45 J   | 33 J   | 47     | 13 J   |
| Benzo(a)anthracene                    | 110      |            | 100 J  | 5.1 J  | 270    | 20 J   | 11 J   | 18 J   | 6.9 J  |
| Chrysene                              | 110      | 5.2 J      | 110 J  | 7.3 J  | 340    | 24 J   | 15 J   | 16 J   | 9.3 J  |
| Benzo fluoranthenes                   | 230      | 15.2 J     | 190    |        | 770    | 36 J   | 24 J   | 29 J   |        |
| Benzo(a)pyrene                        | 99       |            | 89 J   | 5.2 J  | 370    | 21 J   | 10 J   | 16 J   |        |
| Ideno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene                 | 34       |            | 43 J   |        | 240    | 14 J   | 3.8 J  | 12 J   |        |
| Dibenz(a,h)anthracene                 | 12       |            | 23 J   |        | 65 J   | 5.8 J  |        | 4.1 J  |        |
| Benzo(g,h,i)perylene                  | 31       |            | 34 J   |        | 150 J  | 11 J   | 3.6 J  | 13 J   |        |
| Total HPAH                            | 960      | 28 J       | 1100 J | 48 J   | 3600 J | 220 J  | 130 J  | 190 J  | 40 J   |

\*Sediment Management Standards; Chapter 173-204 WAC; WA Dept of Ecology

Outlined box = exceeds sediment standards.

Qualifiers

U=Not found at detection limit shown.

J=Estimated value.

Table 7. Review of contaminants found at different sites. Metals were found at all sites.

| Site | Contaminants exceeding standards  | Other Organic Contaminants   | Location and Comments  |
|------|---|--|--|
| O    | 2-Methylphenol, phthalates (butylbenzyl, bis(2-ethylhexyl) esters)                        | Had the most kinds of chlorinated pesticides, PAH                                | Residential  |
| W    | 2-Methylphenol, HPAH, phenanthrene, phthalates (butylbenzyl, bis(2-ethylhexyl) esters)    | Had the most kinds of volatiles, benzene found, lindane, heptachlor, aldrin, PAH | Near culvert factory - not now connected to Puget Sound - will become storm drain. Mostly Industrial |
| I    | Phthalates (butylbenzyl, bis(2-ethylhexyl) esters)  | Xylene at detection limit, PAH   | Residential  |
| H    | Aroclor 1254(PCB), HPAH, phenanthrene, phthalates (butylbenzyl, bis(2-ethylhexyl) esters) | Endosulfan II at low level, PAH  | Below downtown Bremerton. Commercial   |
| K    | Phthalate (bis(2-ethylhexyl) esters)  | PAH  | Intertidal outfall at end of Park Ave. Residential   |
| Y    | Mercury, zinc, pentachlorophenol, phthalate (bis(2-ethylhexyl) ester)                     | Highest toluene, ethylbenzene, and xylene; endrin, DDE, DDT, alpha-BHC, PAH      | Adjacent to garbage disposal company. Light industrial, residential                                  |
| G    | Mercury, phthalates (butylbenzyl, bis(2-ethylhexyl) esters)                               | Aldrin, PCB, chlordane, chlorobenzenes, PAH                                      | Adjacent above shipyard, downtown Bremerton. Commercial  |
| A    | Phthalates (butylbenzyl, bis(2-ethylhexyl) esters)  | DDT, endrin, chlordane, PCB  | Residential, commercial area.  |

## **RECOMMENDATIONS**

### **Followup to this work:**

The basins that should have further examination to determine sources of contamination are

O (Pesticides)

W (Pesticides, PAH, butylbenzylphthalate)

H (PCBs, PAH (may be from urban street dust from cars))

Y (VOAs, Mercury, Zinc, Pentachlorophenol, Pesticides)

Storm drains that empty into these sites should be examined. Businesses should be checked for discharges.

### **Additional new directions:**

We need to find a solution to the problems we found in trying to sample storm drains for sediment. We have discussed potential long-range solutions including sediment traps that can be deployed in storm drains. A short range compromise may be to sample storm water over a period with ISCO composite samplers or manual grab samples. Another possibility is to use the centrifuge van and sample sediment within the storm water during a storm. We need to meet and discuss these possible solutions.

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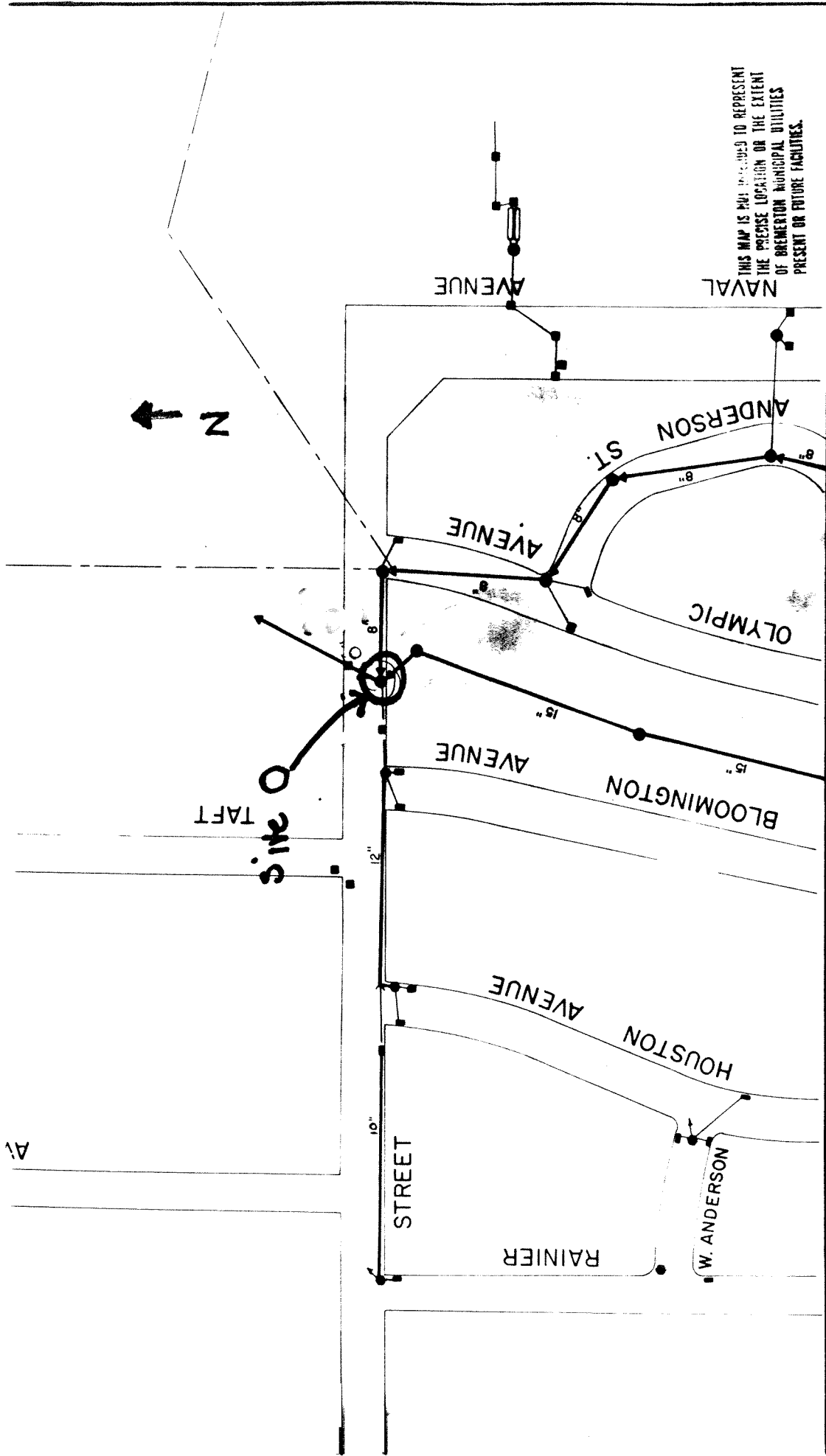
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## **APPENDICES**

1. VICINITY MAPS OF SITES
2. LABORATORY QUALITY ASSURANCE REVIEWS
3. DETECTION LIMITS FOR ORGANICS ANALYSES FOR COMPOUNDS NOT FOUND ABOVE DETECTION LIMITS IN THIS STUDY.



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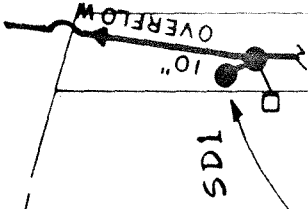
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100' SCALE STORM SEWER MAPS

KITSAP CO. ASSESSOR'S MAPS

PENNSYLVANIA

AVENUE



SEE SAN. SWR.  
PLAN # 104

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I.E. 152.15

1+06  
RIM 157.92  
I.E. 154.37 IN  
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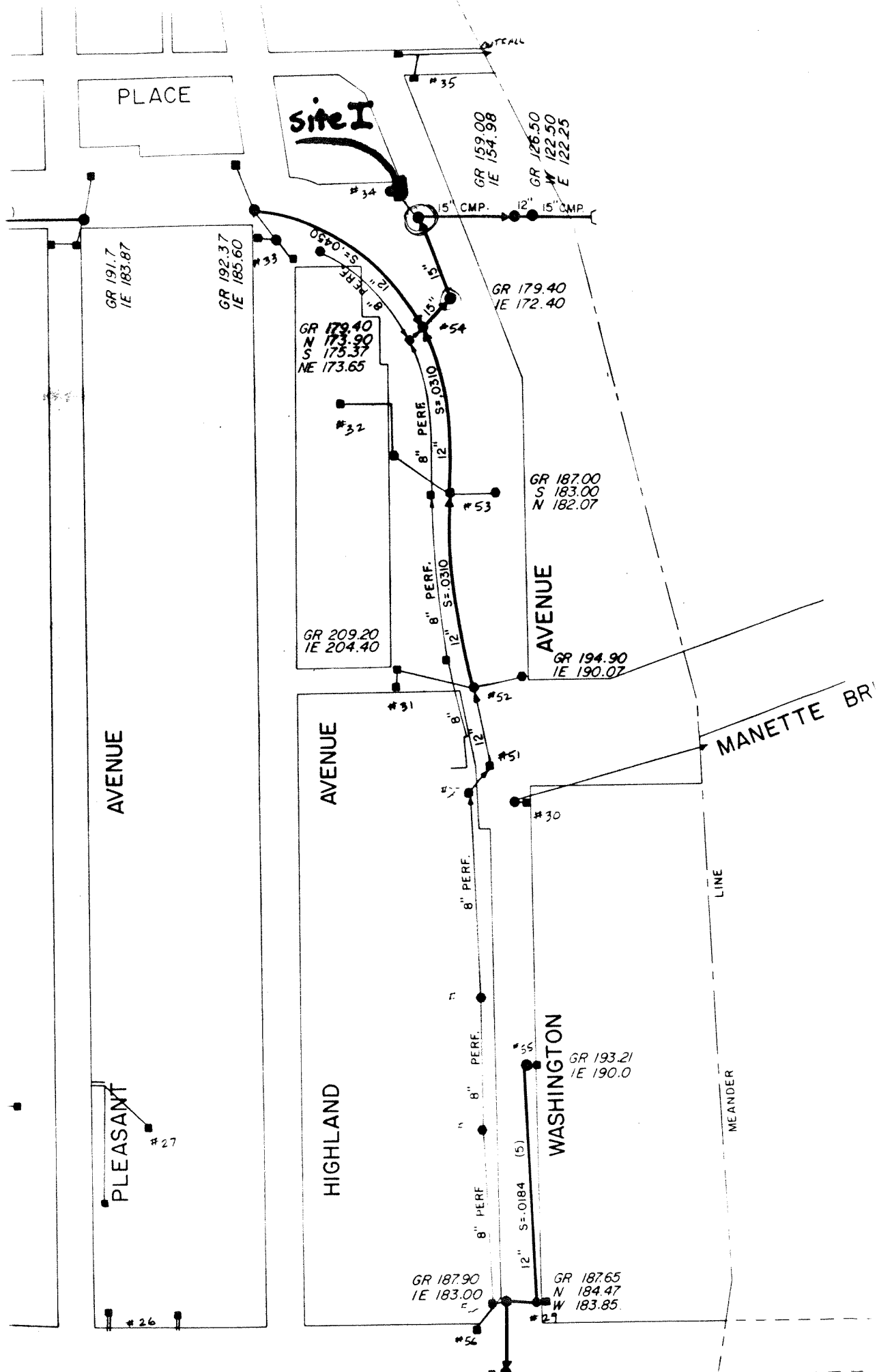
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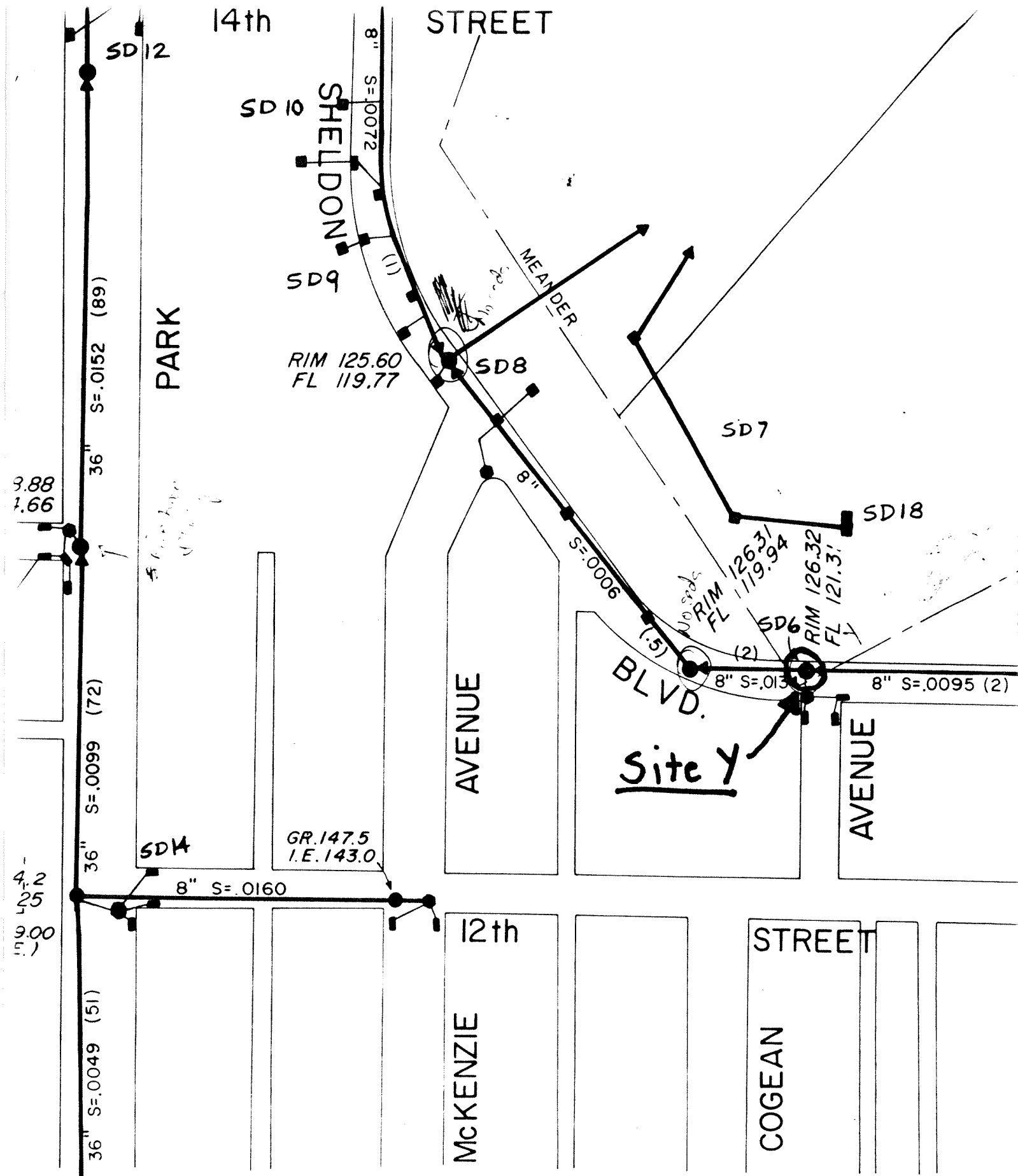
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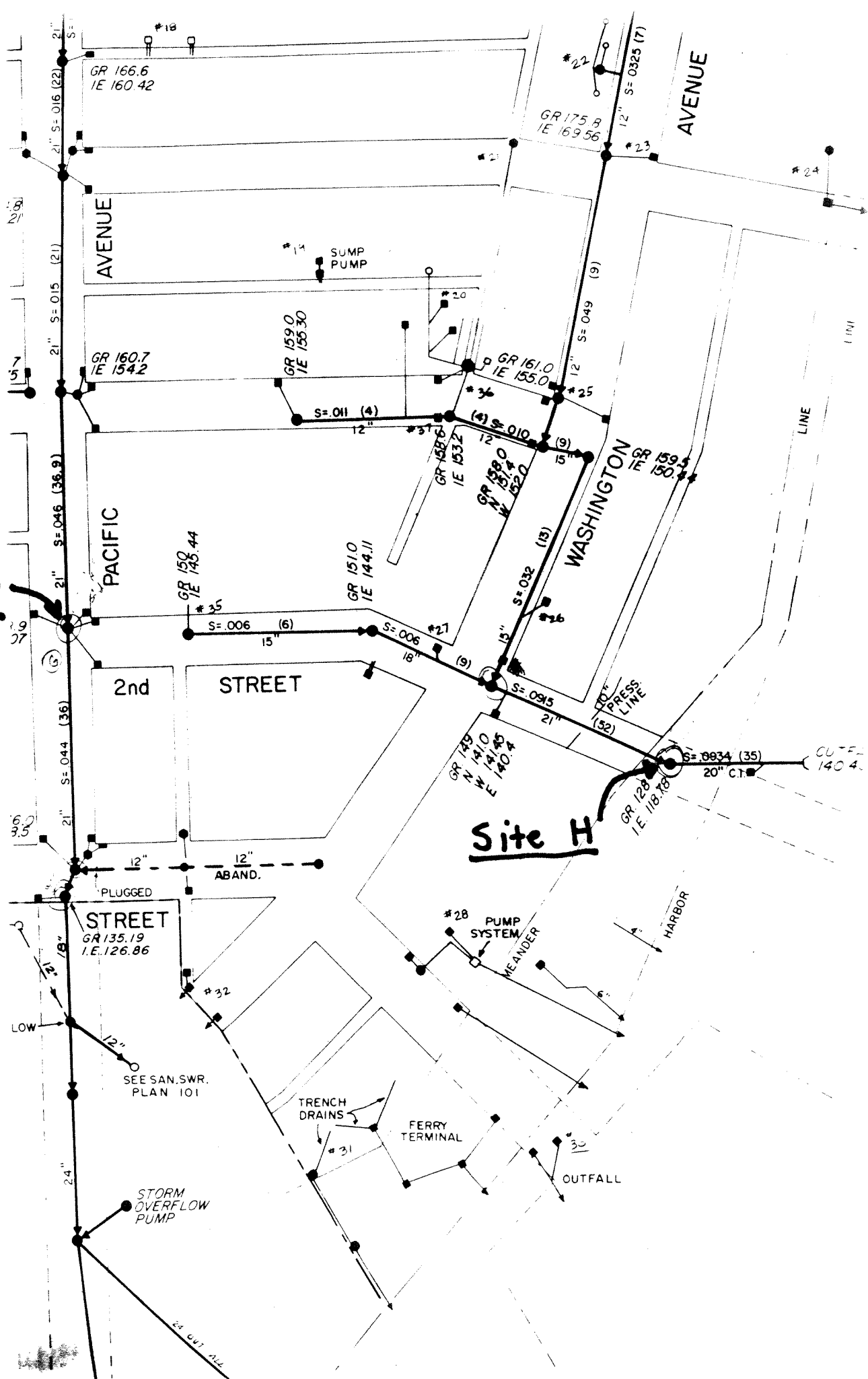
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|            | CONT'D. ON OTHER MAPS       |

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Site A

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ROUTE

STATE

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AUDREY AVE.

"A" STREET

STATE ROUTE NO. 3

LINE

HARBOR

INNER

MEANDER

18"

18" CONC.

18"

42"

S: 0433

36" LIMITS

CITY


12"

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WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY  
ENVIRONMENTAL INVESTIGATIONS AND LABORATORY SERVICES  
MANCHESTER LABORATORY

July 27, 1992

TO: Project officer  
FROM: despina Strong   
SUBJECT: Sinclair Inlet Metals Data

**SAMPLE RECEIPT:**

The samples from the Sinclair Inlet project were received by the Manchester Laboratory on 6/23/92 in good condition.

**HOLDING TIMES:**

All analyses were performed within the specified holding times for metals analysis (28 days for mercury, 180 days for all other metals).

**INSTRUMENT CALIBRATION:**

Instrument calibration was performed before each analytical run and checked by initial calibration verification standards and blanks. Continuing calibration standards and blanks were analyzed at a frequency of 10% during the run and again at the end of the analytical run. All initial and continuing calibration verification standards were within the control limits of +/- 10%. AA calibration gave correlation coefficients greater than the criteria of 0.995. A correlation coefficient of 0.995 or higher means that the calibration is acceptable.

**PROCEDURAL BLANKS:**

The procedural blanks associated with these samples showed no detectable levels of analytes.

**SPIKED SAMPLE ANALYSIS:**

Spiked sample and duplicate spiked sample analysis were performed on one sample in the batch. All spike recoveries were within the acceptable limits of +/- 25% except for thallium and antimony. This is not unusual for sediment samples. The results are qualified with "N".

**PRECISION DATA:**

The duplicate results of the spiked and duplicate spiked sample were used to calculate precision related to the analysis of these samples. The % RPD for all parameters was well within the +/- 20% window for duplicate analysis except for thallium and antimony. The analysts used either "E" or "N", "J" to qualify the data.

**STANDARD REFERENCE MATERIAL:**

Standard reference material or external verification standards were all within the windows established for each parameter.

**ICP SERIAL DILUTION ANALYSIS:**

The Relative Percent Difference (RPD) between sample results and the results for a serial dilution of the same sample were less than 10% between the 1/5 and 1/25 serial dilutions. The results are reported from the 1/5 dilution.

**SUMMARY:**

The data generated by the analysis of the above referenced samples can be used with the above mentioned qualifiers.

If you have any questions about the results or the methods used to obtain these results please call me at SCAN 744-4737.

# **MANCHESTER ENVIRONMENTAL LABORATORY**

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August 28, 1992

Subject: Sinclair Inlet Storm Drains  
Samples: 92 - 268280 to -268287, and -268290  
Case No. DOE-363Y  
Officer: Jim Cabbage  
By: Dickey D. Huntamer  
Through: Stuart Magoon

## ***CASE SUMMARY***

These analyses were reviewed for qualitative and quantitative accuracy, validity and usefulness. Sample analysis used SW 846 procedures. Specific methods used and problems incurred during the analysis of these samples are detailed in the case narrative and will not be addressed here. Analytical problems associated with QA/QC will be noted and referenced to the case narrative where appropriate.

### **VOA FRACTION:**

Method: SW 846 8240

Matrix: Soil

### **Holding times:**

All samples were extracted and analyzed within the recommended holding times.

### **Surrogates:**

Surrogate recoveries for the samples were acceptable and within QC limits.

### **Matrix Spike and Matrix Spike Duplicate:**

Matrix spike percent recoveries and Relative Percent Differences (RPD) were all within acceptable QC limits.

**Sample Data:**

The laboratory method blanks, VBLKU1, VBLKU2 and VBLKU3 contained low levels of common laboratory solvents, methylene chloride and acetone. Methylene chloride was detected in blank VBLKU3, acetone in VBLKU2 and both compounds in VBLKU1. The EPA five times rule was applied to all target compounds which were found in the blank. Compounds that were found in the sample were considered real and not the result of contamination if the levels in the sample are five times or greater than the compounds in the method blank. Those compounds which failed this criteria were qualified by adding the "UJ" data qualifier to the result.

**SEMIVOLATILE FRACTION:**

**Method:** SW 846 8270

**Matrix:** Soil

**Holding times:**

All samples were extracted and analyzed within the recommended holding times.

**Surrogates:**

Surrogate recoveries for the samples were acceptable and within QC limits.

**Matrix Spike and Matrix Spike Duplicate:**

Matrix spike percent recoveries and Relative Percent Differences (RPD) were all within acceptable QC limits except for 4-nitrophenol and 2,4-dinitrotoluene. The 4-nitrophenol was 6% over the recommended limit and 2,4-dinitrotoluene was 8% over the limit. The RPD for 1,4-dichlorobenzene was also over the recommended limit. The deviation from the recommended recoveries and RPD were not significant and no additional data qualifiers were added based on spike recoveries.

**Sample Data:**

The laboratory method blank, SBLKH1 contained, di-n-butylphthalate and bis-ethylhexyl-phthalate. The EPA five times rule was applied to all target compounds which were found in the blank. Compounds that were found in the sample were considered real and not the result of contamination if the levels in the sample are five times or greater than the compounds in the method blank. Those compounds which failed this criteria were qualified by adding the "UJ" data qualifier to the result.

Two compounds benzo(b)fluoranthene and benzo(k)fluoranthene could not be chromatographically resolved in all samples. The "X" flag was used to indicate when this situation occurred.

#### DATA QUALIFIER DEFINITIONS

|     |   |  |
|-----|---|--|
| U   | - | The analyte was not detected at or above the reported value.   |
| J   | - | The analyte was positively identified. The associated numerical value is an <u>estimate</u> .  |
| UJ  | - | The analyte was not detected at or above the reported estimated result.  |
| REJ | - | The data are <u>unusable</u> for all purposes.   |
| EXP | - | The result is equal to the number before EXP times 10 to the power of the number after EXP. As an example 3EXP6 equals $3 \times 10^6$ . |
| NAF | - | Not analyzed for.  |
| N   | - | For organic analytes there is evidence the analyte is present in this sample.  |
| NJ  | - | There is evidence that the analyte is present. The associated numerical result is an estimate.   |
| E   | - | This qualifier is used when the concentration of the associated value exceeds the known calibration range.                               |
| D   | - | Signifies that the associated value was derived from a secondary dilution.   |

Note: If this data is entered into some other format an "N" flag should be added to the compounds reported as tentatively identified compounds. The "N" flag indicates that there is presumptive evidence that the analyte is present in this sample.

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TO: Washington State Department of Ecology  
Project Name: Sinclair Inlet Storm Drains  
Ecology Order No.: F171833  
Laboratory No.: 9206E20  
Date of this report: July 27, 1992

**SAMPLE RECEIPT, IDENTIFICATION, AND GENERAL COMMENTS:**

Sample Receipt and Identification:

The samples submitted under the laboratory number(s) indicated above were identified and analyzed as tabulated below. The samples were collected and received on the dates noted on the enclosed chain-of-custody copies, Attachment A.

| <u>Client<br/>Sample<br/>Identification</u> | <u>Laucks<br/>Sample<br/>Identification</u> | <u>Testing<br/>Analytical<br/>Request</u> |
|---|---|---|
| 268280                                      | 9206E20-01                                  | VOA/ABN/PEST/PCB/TOC/GRSZ                 |
| 268281                                      | 9206E20-02                                  | VOA/ABN/PEST/PCB/TOC/GRSZ                 |
| 268282                                      | 9206E20-03                                  | VOA/ABN/PEST/PCB/TOC/GRSZ                 |
| 268283                                      | 9206E20-04                                  | VOA/ABN/PEST/PCB/TOC/GRSZ                 |
| 268284                                      | 9206E20-05                                  | VOA/ABN/PEST/PCB/TOC/GRSZ                 |
| 268285                                      | 9206E20-06                                  | VOA/ABN/PEST/PCB/TOC/GRSZ                 |
| 268286                                      | 9206E20-07                                  | VOA/ABN/PEST/PCB/TOC/GRSZ                 |
| 268287                                      | 9206E20-08                                  | VOA/ABN/PEST/PCB/TOC/GRSZ                 |
| 268290                                      | 9206E20-09                                  | VOA/ABN/PEST/PCB/TOC/GRSZ                 |
| No sample                                   | 9206E20-10                                  | VOA/ABN/PEST/PCB/TOC/GRSZ                 |

Analytical Request Key:

VOA = Volatile Organics  
ABN = Semi-Volatile Organics  
Pest/PCB = Pesticides/PCBs  
TOC = Total Organic Carbon  
GRSZ = Grain Size

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### Sample Identification on Forms:

When completing forms created through the CLP software, every attempt is made to use both your sample IDs as well as the laboratory sample IDs. The forms have varied default sizes to their sample identification fields, and are not amenable to alteration or editing. When it is not possible to use your complete sample ID because of field length limitations, Laucks will usually do one of two things: 1) use as much of your ID as will fit, beginning from the RIGHT hand side of the sample ID number; or 2) select some sub-set of your sample identifier if it is clearly a discrete number. In addition, ALL forms will contain our sample IDs, which can be cross-referenced from the table above.

Many of the CLP-package forms include the words "EPA Sample No.," or some variation, which again cannot be edited. Where a reference is made to the EPA, you may take this to mean more generally, "the client." These data are not part of an actual EPA case.

### GENERAL REMARKS ON ORGANIC ANALYSES:

The following comments describe general analysis conditions. For remarks specific to the samples reported in this case, see "SPECIFIC REMARKS ON ORGANIC ANALYSES."

#### All GC/MS Fractions:

The computerized printout for sample analysis may tabulate values for target analytes that are not reported on the relevant Form I. In that case, we have manually searched the mass spectral data and have eliminated the compound(s) as reportable based on this search.

The data system that is used to perform the searches for Tentatively Identified Compounds (TICs) is set with a threshold of 5% fit for TICs. In some cases, fewer than three compounds in the NBS library pass this threshold setting. When this occurs there will not be spectra and fits for the associated unknown compound, as called out on the first page of the data system report and reflected in the spectra that are drawn (i.e., there will be less than three best-fit spectra). This generally has one of two meanings. First, that there are no compounds passing the fit criteria; or, second, that one or more compounds pass the fit criteria. It is our opinion that the threshold setting for fit is set low enough that all reasonable and possible "hits" will be reported (up to a maximum of three).

#### Semi-Volatile Fraction:

All soil/sediment extracts were cleaned using Gel Permeation Chromatography (GPC), as per 03/90 CLP protocols.

#### Volatile Fraction:

All volatile analyses were performed using a DB-624 megabore capillary. Listed below are the correct elution order and the internal standard with which each compound is associated.

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| <u>Bromochloromethane (IS)</u> | <u>1,4-Difluorobenzene (IS)</u> | <u>d5-Chlorobenzene (IS)</u> |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Chloromethane                  | Benzene                         | Cis-1,3-Dichloropropene      |
| Vinyl Chloride                 | 1,2-Dichloroethane              | 4-Methyl-2-Pentanone         |
| Bromomethane                   | Trichloroethene                 | d8-Toluene (SURR)            |
| Chloroethane                   | 1,2-Dichloropropane             | Toluene                      |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene             | Bromodichloromethane            | Trans-1,3-Dichloropropene    |
| Acetone                        |                                 | 1,1,2-Trichloroethane        |
| Carbon Disulfide               |                                 | Tetrachloroethene            |
| Methylene Chloride             |                                 | 2-Hexanone                   |
| Trans-1,2-Dichloroethene       |                                 | Dibromochloromethane         |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane             |                                 | Chlorobenzene                |
| Cis-1,2-Dichloroethene         |                                 | Ethylbenzene                 |
| 2-Butanone                     |                                 | M,P-Xylene                   |
| Chloroform                     |                                 | O-Xylene                     |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane          |                                 | Styrene                      |
| Carbon Tetrachloride           |                                 | Bromoform                    |
| d4-1,2-Dichloroethane (SURR)   |                                 | Bromofluorobenzene (SURR)    |
|                                |                                 | 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane    |

The analytes listed above were assigned to their respective internal standards on the basis of relative retention time (RRT).

Separation of cis- and trans- dichloroethylene isomers is achievable on a DB-624 megabore capillary column. When these isomers are found in a sample, they are reported as total-1,2-dichloroethylene.

Due to the tight band in which the volatile compounds are delivered onto the column, separation of the gases can be achieved without the use of subambient temperatures. It has been noted that the purge and trap, the condition of the trap, and the type of column all play important roles on the affect of the early eluting compounds. With an initial temperature of 30 degrees Celsius, not only can the gases be separated by the EICP, but also the response factors of the gases are well above the required minimum response factor of 0.1 (for bromomethane and vinyl chloride.) This is demonstrated on Form 6V, where the average response factors vary from 0.4 to 1.0. The reproducibility of the gases is exemplary as shown by the low relative standard deviations on Form 6V and the low percent differences on Form 7V. Bromoform has also been demonstrated to yield response factors well above the minimum RRF of 0.1, as shown on Form 6V, where the average response is greater than 0.6. Given these results, subambient temperatures have not been employed in the volatile analyses.

## Pesticide/PCB Fraction:

The compound isodrin was added as a third, optional surrogate in the pesticide/PCB analyses. Recovery values are reported on the appropriate Form II - PEST.



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**SPECIFIC REMARKS ON ORGANIC ANALYSES:**

Holding Time Compliance:

Following the Contract Laboratory Program (CLP) model, Laucks calculates holding time compliance for organic determinations based on the first injection and/or analysis of an extract or sample. Subsequent analyses (for instance, for the purpose of dilution) are not tabulated.

**Volatile Organic Compounds:**

The holding time is 10 days calculated from Verified Time of Sample Receipt (VTSR) under the CLP model or 14 days from date of collection in both soil and water samples. All samples were analyzed within holding time.

**Semi-Volatile Organic Compounds:**

The holding time to extraction is 5 days in water and 10 days in soil calculated from VTSR under the CLP model, or 7 days in water and 14 days in soil calculated from date of collection. In either case, the holding time from extraction to analysis is 40 days. All samples were extracted and analyzed within holding time.

**Pesticides/PCBs:**

The holding time to extraction is 5 days in water and 10 days in soil calculated from VTSR under the CLP model, or 7 days in water and 14 days in soil calculated from date of collection. In either case, the holding time from extraction to analysis is 40 days. All samples were extracted and analyzed within holding time.

VOA Fraction:

Sample 26-8286 was analyzed as a low-level soil, using 1 gram of sample. Because of the high level of toluene detected in this sample, a dilution was required in order to bring the analyte within linear range of the initial calibration. In order to dilute the sample further, a medium extraction was performed and analyzed. QC was also performed on the medium level sample, per the EPA SOW.

The medium analysis resulted in the detection of a significant TIC that was less than 10% in the low soil and therefore was only reported in the medium soil. This may be due to the very nature of the TIC, extracting out of the methanol more efficiently than when it is purged with water since it hydrolyzes in the presence of water and forms an azeotrope with methanol. This compound, trimethyl ester boric acid, also elutes with methylene chloride. Therefore, the peak height was determined by the ratio of the most abundant ion in comparison to the most abundant ion in methylene chloride, which was approximately one-half of the total peak height since the ratios were approximately 1:1.

Sample 26-8284 also had a TIC that coeluted with a target analyte (acetone). The ratio of the most abundant ion for acetone and the TIC, thiobismethane, was approximately 1:5. Therefore, the TIC was calculated by taking one-fifth the total peak height.

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ABN Fraction:

MS/MSD analyses were performed on sample 26-8282. Recovery of 4-nitrophenol and 2,4-dinitrotoluene exceeded recommended control limits in the MS analysis. The RPD for 1,4-dichlorobenzene also exceeded the control limit due to a lower recovery in the MSD analysis.

Some samples in this case were diluted for analysis due to large amounts of extractable material present in the sample extracts. When analyzed, sample 26-8281 yielded concentrations of dimethylphthalate and butylbenzylphthalate that exceeded linear range. This sample extract was diluted and reanalyzed accordingly. All data have been submitted.

Surrogate recoveries for sample 26-8286 were low, although they all fell within required control limits.

An additional data reporting flag was used for some samples in this case. Where benzo(b) and benzo(k)fluoranthene were detected with no chromatographic resolution which would allow them to be quantitated separately, an 'X' flag was used to denote that the value reported represents the total of these two compounds.

Some analyte peaks on the data system quantitation reports have been manually integrated because of irregular peak shape. All manual integrations have been initialled and dated by the analyst.

Pesticide/PCB Fraction:

Surrogate Recovery:

All surrogate recovery values from this sample set were within control limits except the recoveries of TCMX in sample 26-8285 and of decachlorobiphenyl in sample 26-8280, which were slightly low on one column only, and the recovery of decachlorobiphenyl from sample 26-8283, which was slightly high on one column.

Spike Recovery:

All spike recoveries from 26-8282MS/MSD were within control limits.

Calibration:

The final calibration verification check (PEM06) was marginally out of control (low) for the analytes 4,4'-DDT and methoxychlor. All other calibration standards were in control.

Instrument Blanks:

Instrument blanks numbered PIBLK01 through PIBLK06 were analyzed with this sample set and reported using a water default basis.

Florisil Check:

A florisil cartridge recovery check was analyzed on 06/13/91. All pesticide analytes and surrogates yielded satisfactory recoveries. The recovery of 2,4,5-trichlorophenol (38%) exceeded the control limit.

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Sample Results:

Target analytes were reported on Forms 1D using the data flags "J" and "P" to qualify the confirmation of analytes in certain situations.

A 'J' flag indicates that the analyte was confirmed at a level below (but not less than half of) the reported detection limit.

A 'P' flag indicates that the analyte was confirmed, but that there was a difference of > 25% between the concentration values calculated from each column (often due to matrix effects). The lower value is always reported.

**SPECIFIC REMARKS ON INORGANIC ANALYSES:**

Holding Time Compliance:

Laucks calculates holding time compliance for inorganic determinations using the date on which reportable data were acquired.

**Miscellaneous:**

The following analytes do not have a Contract Laboratory Program holding time. The holding times tabulated below derive from the relevant EPA methods and are applicable when the sample was appropriately preserved and/or cooled. All samples submitted followed the preservation guidelines unless explicitly noted otherwise.

| <u>Analyte</u> | <u>Holding Time</u> | <u>Violations</u> |
|----------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| TOC            | 28 days (in water)  | none              |
| Grain Size     | none                | none              |

Total Organic Carbon:

No comments.

Grain Size:

No comments.

Table A-1. Detection limits for volatiles not found in sediments from Bremerton storm drains.  
( $\mu\text{g/kg}$  dry weight)

|                            | Site | O    | W    | I    | H    | K     | Y    | G    | A |
|----------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|------|------|---|
| Lab Number                 | 8280 | 8281 | 8282 | 8283 | 8284 | 8285  | 8287 | 8290 |   |
| Chloromethane              | 14 U | 27 U | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |   |
| Bromomethane               | 14 U | 27 U | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |   |
| Vinyl Chloride             | 14 U | 27 U | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |   |
| Chlorethane                | 14 U | 27 U | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |   |
| Carbon disulfide           | 14 U | 27 U | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |   |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene         | 14 U | 27 U | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |   |
| 1,1-Dichloroethane         | 14 U | 27 U | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |   |
| 1,1-Dichloroethene (Total) | 14 U | 27 U | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |   |
| Chloroform                 | 14 U | 27 U | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |   |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane         | 14 U | 27 U | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |   |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane      | 14 U | 27 U | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |   |
| Carbon Tetrachloride       | 14 U | 27 U | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |   |
| Bromodichloromethane       | 14 U | 27 U | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |   |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane        | 14 U | 27 U | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |   |
| cis-1,3-Dichloropropene    | 14 U | 27 U | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |   |
| Trichloroethene            | 14 U | 27 U | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |   |
| Dibormochloromethane       | 14 U | 27 U | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |   |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane      | 14 U | 27 U | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |   |
| trans-1-3-Dichloropropene  | 14 U | 27 U | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |   |
| Bromoform                  | 14 U | 27 U | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |   |
| 4-Methyl-2-pentanone       | 14 U | 27 U | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |   |
| 2-Hexanone                 | 14 U | 27 U | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |   |
| Tetrachloroethene          | 14 U | 27 U | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |   |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane  | 14 U | 27 U | 12 U | 13 U | 14 U | 120 U | 14 U | 13 U |   |

Qualifiers

U = Detection limit

Table A-2. Detection limits of semi volatiles and pesticides not found in sediments from storm drains in Bremerton (All values  $\mu\text{g/kg}$  dry weight).

|                             | Site       | O      | W       | I     | H      | K      | Y      | G      | A      |
|-----------------------------|------------|--------|---------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
|                             | Lab number | 8280   | 8281    | 8282  | 8283   | 8284   | 8286   | 8287   | 8290   |
| <b>SEMI-VOLATILES</b>       |            |        |         |       |        |        |        |        |        |
| Phenol                      |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| bis(2-chloroethyl)ether     |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| 2-Chlorophenol              |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| 1,3-Dichlorobenzene         |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| 2,2-oxybis(1-chloropropane) |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| N-Nitroso-di-n-propylamine  |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| Hexachloroethane            |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| Nitrobenzene                |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| Isophorone                  |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| 2-Nitrophenol               |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| 2,4-Dimethylphenol          |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| bis(2-chloroethoxy)methane  |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| 2,4-dichlorophenol          |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene      |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| 4-chloroaniline             |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| Hexachlorobutadiene         |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| 4-Chloro-3-methylphenol     |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| Hexachlorocyclopentadiene   |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| 2,4,6-Trichlorophenol       |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| 2,4,5-Trichlorophenol       |            | 5500 U | 11000 U | 990 U | 5300 U | 2200 U | 4100 U | 2200 U | 5100 U |
| 2-Chloronaphthalene         |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| 2-Nitroaniline              |            | 5500 U | 11000 U | 990 U | 5300 U | 2200 U | 4100 U | 2200 U | 5100 U |
| 2,6-Dinitrotoluene          |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| 3-Nitroaniline              |            | 5500 U | 11000 U | 990 U | 5300 U | 2200 U | 4100 U | 2200 U | 5100 U |
| 2,4-dinitrophenol           |            | 5500 U | 11000 U | 990 U | 5300 U | 2200 U | 4100 U | 2200 U | 5100 U |
| 4-Nitrophenol               |            | 5500 U | 11000 U | 990 U | 5300 U | 2200 U | 4100 U | 2200 U | 5100 U |
| 2,4-Dinitrotoluene          |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| Diethylphthalate            |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| 4-Chlorophenyl-pheylether   |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| 4-Nitroaniline              |            | 5500 U | 11000 U | 990 U | 5300 U | 2200 U | 4100 U | 2200 U | 5100 U |
| 4,6-Dinitro-2-methylphenol  |            | 5500 U | 11000 U | 990 U | 5300 U | 2200 U | 4100 U | 2200 U | 5100 U |
| 4-Bromophenyl-phenylether   |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| Hexachlorobenzene           |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| 3,3'-Dichlorobenzidine      |            | 2300 U | 4500 U  | 410 U | 2200 U | 900 U  | 1700 U | 900 U  | 2100 U |
| <b>PESTICIDES</b>           |            |        |         |       |        |        |        |        |        |
| beta-BHC                    |            | 2.3 U  | 4.6 U   | 2.1 U | 2.1 U  | 2.1 U  | 2.1 U  | 2.2 U  | 2.3 U  |
| delta-BHC                   |            | 2.3 U  | 4.6 U   | 2.1 U | 2.1 U  | 2.1 U  | 2.1 U  | 2.2 U  | 2.3 U  |
| Endosulfan I                |            | 2.3 U  | 4.6 U   | 2.1 U | 2.1 U  | 2.1 U  | 2.1 U  | 2.2 U  | 2.3 U  |
| Endosulfan sulfate          |            | 4.5 U  | 8.9 U   | 4.1 U | 4.1 U  | 4.1 U  | 4.1 U  | 4.3 U  | 4.5 U  |
| Endrin aldehyde             |            | 4.5 U  | 8.9 U   | 4.1 U | 4.1 U  | 4.1 U  | 4.1 U  | 4.3 U  | 4.5 U  |
| Toxaphene                   |            | 230 U  | 460 U   | 210 U | 210 U  | 210 U  | 210 U  | 220 U  | 230 U  |
| Aroclor-1016                |            | 45 U   | 89 U    | 41 U  | 41 U   | 41 U   | 41 U   | 43 U   | 45 U   |
| Aroclor-1221                |            | 92 U   | 180 U   | 83 U  | 83 U   | 83 U   | 83 U   | 88 U   | 92 U   |
| Aroclor-1232                |            | 45 U   | 89 U    | 41 U  | 41 U   | 41 U   | 41 U   | 43 U   | 45 U   |
| Aroclor-1242                |            | 45 U   | 89 U    | 41 U  | 41 U   | 41 U   | 41 U   | 43 U   | 45 U   |
| Aroclor-1260                |            | 45 U   | 89 U    | 41 U  | 41 U   | 41 U   | 41 U   | 43 U   | 45 U   |

U = No compound found at detection limit shown.